

Appendix B: Steering Committee Membership and Meeting Schedule

Steering Committee Membership:

- **Paul Anderson**, Director, Maine Sea Grant
- **Kathleen Billings**, Chair, Soft Shell Clam Advisory Council; Town of Stonington
- **Heather Deese**, PhD Candidate, University of Maine
- **Dewitt John**, Director of Environmental Studies, Bowdoin College
- **Evan Richert**, Program Director, Gulf of Maine Census on Marine Life
- **Jim Salisbury**, Retired CEO, Supreme Alaska Seafoods
- **David Schmanska**, Harbormaster, St. George
- **Barbara Vickery**, Director of Conservation Programs, ME Chapter of the Nature Conservancy

Meeting Schedule:

September 21, 2004

12:30 - 5:00 pm

Hutchinson Center, Belfast

Agenda items:

1. Orientation for Steering Committee and Staff
2. Facilitated Discussion – Developing a Draft Definition of Bay Management
3. Final review of principles statement (principles for guiding the work of the study)
4. Presentation of public participation survey
5. Discussion of proposed public participation plan and schedule
6. Discussion of project decision making
7. Final comments on RFP to solicit proposals for pilot projects

January 7th, 2005

Originally planned for Belfast, this meeting had to be changed due to dangerous driving conditions. It was conducted as a conference call.

Agenda items:

1. Selection of Pilot Projects
2. Refinement of Working Definition of Bay Management
3. Decision Making with the Study
4. Planning for the Community Meetings

Friday, February 25, 2005

12:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

State Planning Office, 184 State St. Augusta

Agenda items:

1. Presentations by Representatives of Pilot Projects (Taunton Bay and Muscongus Bay)
2. Overview of Maine's marine governance structure
3. Overview of Municipal authorities

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4. Model presentations:
 - a. Ocean Zoning
 - b. Nearshore governance in Australia
 - c. Northwest Straits
 - d. British Columbia
5. Report on Public Meetings

Monday, June 13, 2005

10:00a.m. to 2:00p.m.

Hutchinson Center, Belfast

Agenda items:

1. Overview of the Public Meeting Process
2. Bay Management Issues of Concern by Region
3. Governance Issues
4. Ongoing compilation/analysis of issues and development of bay management models
5. Update on pilot projects

Monday, September 19, 2005

10:00am to 2:00p.m.

Gulf of Maine Research Institute, Portland

Agenda items:

Wednesday, November 9th, 2005

9:30am - 3:30pm

Department of Marine Resources, 194 McKown Point Rd., West Boothbay Harbor

Agenda items:

Steering Committee Work Session and Public Meeting

Friday, February 17, 2006

9:00am to 4:00p.m.

Belfast Armory, Rt 1, Belfast

Agenda items:

Friday, June 2nd, 2006

9:00am - 3:00pm

Hutchinson Center, Belfast

Agenda items:

Tuesday, August 15th, 2006

9:30am - 3:30pm

Bowdoin Coastal Studies Center, Orr's Island

Agenda items:

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Monday, October 2nd, 2006

8:00am-4:00pm

Darling Marine Center, Walpole

Agenda items:

Friday, December 1st, 2006